



Homestead National Monument of America

2014 Special Events and Programs

House and Home – Yesterday and Today

Admission to all events, exhibits and displays is free

JULY

Every Saturday, 10 a.m.

4 Friday, 7 p.m.

12 Saturday, 7 p.m.

19 Saturday, 7 p.m.

26 Saturday, 7 p.m.

Special Exhibitions: House and Home

Kids in Parks Program - Nature Detective Series

Heritage Campfire Program – *Prairie Traditions and Celebrations of the 4th of July*
- Patriotic Music

Heritage Campfire Program – *Lifestyles of Lakota Women*

- Songs, Dances, Games of the Lakota

Heritage Campfire Program – *Why the Locust Swarmed*

- Traditional Music

Heritage Campfire Program – *Sing me a Story*

AUGUST

2 Saturday, 10 a.m.

Saturday, 7 p.m.

3-9 Sun-Sat 10a.m.-4 p.m.

9 Saturday, 7 p.m.

28-31, Thursday-Sunday

30-31 Saturday

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Kids in Parks Programs - Nature Detective Series

Heritage Campfire Program – *Bees in Nature*

Art in the Park Week – *Artists featured daily*

Heritage Campfire Program – *Nebraska's Musical Smorgasbord*

Redtail Squadron Mobile Theater – *Tuskegee Airmen*

Labor Day Weekend Arts Extravaganza – *Living History Weekend*

SEPTEMBER

1 Monday

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17 Wednesday, 2 p.m.

23 Tuesday

25 Thursday

27 Saturday, 9:30 a.m.

28 Sunday, 2 p.m.

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5th Annual Old Fashioned Spelling Bee at the Freeman School

Redtail Squadron Mobile Theater – *Tuskegee Airmen*

Toasted Ponies Bluegrass Band concert

U.S. Immigration Naturalization Ceremony – *Constitution Day*

Prairie Inspiration Poetry Festival

(Grades 6-12 Reservation Required)

Prairie Inspiration Photography Festival

(Grades 6-12 Reservation Required)

Public Lands Day Volunteer Project – *Deer Survey*

Prairie Appreciation Week Kickoff Event

Visitor Center Hours

Through Labor Day:

Daily 8:30 a.m. – 5 p.m.

After Labor Day:

Mon-Fri: 8:30 a.m. – 5 p.m.

Sat-Sun: 9 a.m. – 5 p.m.

Trails Open Dawn till Dusk



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OCTOBER

1 – 3 Wed. - Fri.,
4 Saturday, 9:30 a.m.
5 Sunday, 2 - 4 p.m.
12 Sunday, 2 p.m.
25 Saturday, 6 p.m.

Special Exhibitions: House and Home

Pioneer Days (*Grade 4 Reservation Required*)
Prairie Work Day - *A Prairie Appreciation Week Event*
3rd Annual Homestead Hedge Apple Festival
Family History Month - *Special Speaker*
Howling Homestead

NOVEMBER

9 Sunday, 2 p.m.
28-30 Friday – Sunday
29 Saturday, 10 a.m.
30 Sunday, 2 p.m.

Special Exhibitions: House and Home

American Indian Heritage Month Program - *Special Speaker*
Junior Ranger Weekend
Junior Ranger Program – *Kids, Explore your autumn world*
Winter Festival of Prairie Cultures - *Special Speaker*

DECEMBER

7 Sunday, 2 p.m.
14 Sunday, 2 p.m.

Winter Festival of Prairie Cultures Displays – Closes December 31

Winter Festival of Prairie Cultures - *Special Speaker*
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Special Exhibits at the Education Center

January-April 20, 2014: *A Special Lens on a Big Story- Works by Homestead Artists-in-Residence*

April 26, 2014 – November 16, 2014: *House and Home*

November 28, 2014 – December 31, 2014: *Winter Festival of Prairie Cultures*

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Campfire Programs:

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